BlackBerry Curve™

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BlackBerry Curve 9380 Smartphone

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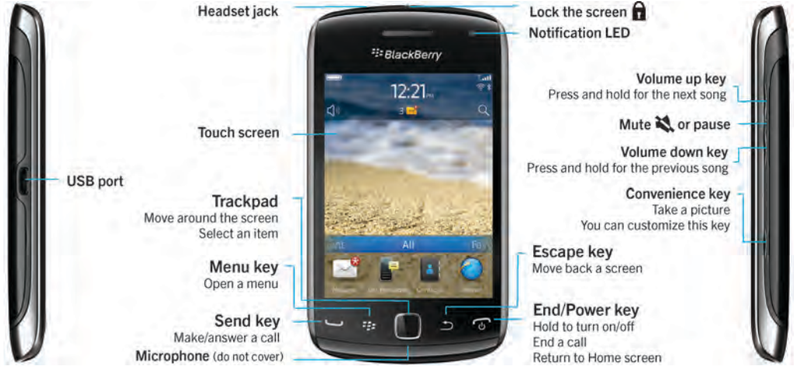
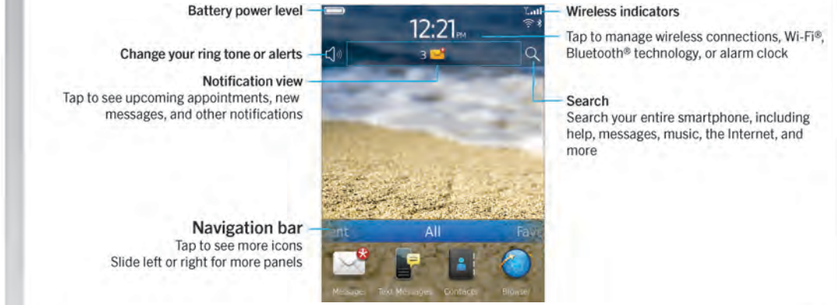
Get to know your new BlackBerry® Curve™ smartphone.



Explore the Home screen



You can move and hide icons. Touch and hold an icon and tap **Move** or **Hide Icon**.

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Safety information

IT IS IMPORTANT THAT YOU READ THE SAFETY AND PRODUCT INFORMATION BOOKLET (INCLUDED) PRIOR TO USING YOUR BLACKBERRY® SMARTPHONE. It contains essential safety information related to your smartphone.

More getting started information

For videos, BlackBerry® Answers, and more, go to **www.blackberry.com/gettingstarted**.

1 Insert the SIM card

Depending on your BlackBerry® smartphone model or your wireless service provider, you might not need a SIM card for your smartphone.

2 Insert the battery and media card

The media card is optional. If a media card was included, it might already be inserted.

3 Set up your smartphone

1. If prompted, set up your BlackBerry® ID.
2. Get started quickly with Setup!

If Setup doesn't start automatically, on the Home screen, tap the **Setup** icon.

4 Set up your email

1. On the Home screen, tap the **Setup** icon > **Email Accounts** icon.
2. Follow the instructions to set up your email address.

When your email address is set up correctly, you receive a confirmation email. To see your email, on the Home screen, tap the **Messages** icon.

Data plan required.

Import your contacts

You can import your contacts from a SIM card or by using the BlackBerry® Desktop Software. For information about the BlackBerry Desktop Software, see the "Connecting to your computer" section in this guide.

If you have a SIM card, do the following:

1. On the Home screen, tap the **Setup** icon > **SIM Contacts Sync** icon.
2. Follow the instructions on the screen.

Features not supported by all wireless service providers.

Switch smartphones

To move data from a previous BlackBerry® smartphone, do the following:

1. On your computer, open the BlackBerry® Desktop Software. To get the latest software, go to **www.blackberry.com/desktopsoftware**.
2. Connect your new smartphone to your computer.
3. Click **Copy data and settings from another device** and follow the prompts.
4. If necessary, on your new smartphone, tap the **Setup** icon > **Email Accounts** icon and follow the prompts.

Lock your screen

To lock your screen, press the key on the top of your BlackBerry® smartphone.

Set a password

1. On the Home screen, tap the **Setup** icon > **Password** icon.
2. Select **Enable** > tap **Set Password**, and follow the prompts.

To lock your smartphone, on the Home screen, tap the **Password Lock** icon.
Record your password for future use.

Applications

Messages
Send emails and other messages.

Text Messages
Send text messages.

Browser
Browse websites.

Media
See saved pictures, play songs, and more.

BlackBerry Messenger
Chat with friends or colleagues.

Camera
Take pictures.

Options
Set options. You can find more options in each application menu.

Manage Connections
Set up wireless connections, such as a Bluetooth® connection.

Help
Find the user guide here or tap **Help** in a menu.

For more icons, see the *Icon Guide* at **docs.blackberry.com/icons/70**.

Status indicators

Home screen

New notification	Alarm set
Unopened message count	BlackBerry® Messenger
Social feeds	Roaming
BlackBerry App World™ notification	NFC technology turned on
Wi-Fi® turned on	Bluetooth® technology turned on

Messages

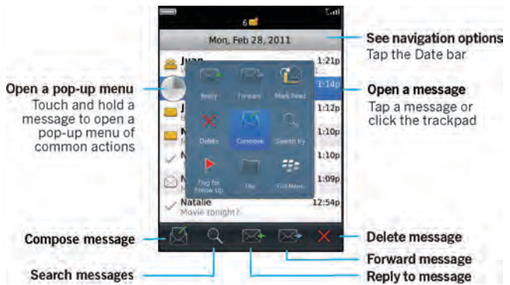
Unopened	Opened
Text message	Sent message
Attachment	Meeting invite
Message is sending	Message not sent

Phone

Missed call	Received call
Placed call	Voice mail message

Messages

To view all your messages, on the Home screen, tap the **Messages** icon.



Send a text message

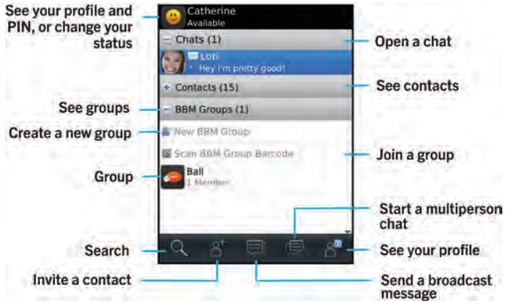
1. On the Home screen, tap the **Text Messages** icon.
2. Tap the icon.
3. In the **To** field, type the contact information.
4. Type a message.
5. Tap the icon.

To insert a period while you're typing, press the **Space** key twice.

Extra fees might apply.

BlackBerry Messenger

Chat with your friends virtually anywhere, anytime!



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Add a contact using a barcode

1. On the Home screen, tap the **BlackBerry Messenger** icon.
2. Tap the icon > **Scan a PIN barcode**.
3. Hold your BlackBerry® smartphone so that all four corners of the contact's barcode appear on your screen and you hear a beep.

Phone

To make a call or open the Phone application, press the key.

Change your ring tone

1. On the Home screen, tap the **Setup** icon > **Ring Tones** icon.
2. In the **Ring Tone** field, tap a preloaded ring tone or tap **All Music** or **All Alerts**.
3. Press the key > **Save**.

Browser

Type a web address
Tap the address bar to open the touch screen keyboard

Open a pop-up menu of common actions
Touch and hold the screen

Open tab view

Open your bookmarks and history

Zoom/pan
To zoom, slide your finger and thumb together or apart, or click the trackpad

To pan a zoomed page, slide your finger on the screen or trackpad

Close the selected tab

Open a webpage in a new tab

Data plan required.

Camera

Zoom in or out
Slide your finger up or down on the screen or trackpad

Add your location to the picture

View pictures

Take a picture
Tap the camera icon or press the Convenience key on the right of the smartphone

Zoom indicator

Change settings for different scenes (beach scenes, and more)

Change the flash setting

Record a video

1. On the Home screen, tap the **Media** icon > **Video Camera** icon.
2. Tap the icon.
3. To pause recording, tap the icon.

Pictures

To see your pictures, tap the **Media** icon > **Pictures**.

Zoom/pan
To zoom, slide your finger and thumb together or apart, or click the trackpad.

To pan a zoomed picture, slide your finger on the screen or trackpad.

Send picture

Rotate picture

Open a pop-up menu
Touch and hold the screen

Scroll through pictures
When zoomed out, slide your finger left or right quickly on the screen or trackpad

Previous/next picture

Play slideshow

Change your wallpaper

1. On the Home screen, tap the **Setup** icon > **Wallpaper** icon.
2. Take a picture or use an existing picture.
3. Press the key > **Set As Wallpaper**.
4. Press the key to return to the Home screen.

BlackBerry App World

Download games, apps, and more! Go to **www.blackberry.com/appworld**.

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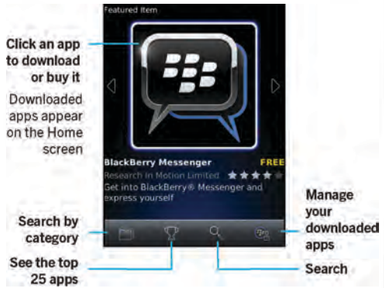
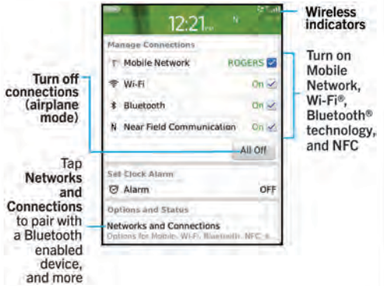


Wi-Fi and Bluetooth

To manage wireless connections, tap the **Manage Connections** icon.



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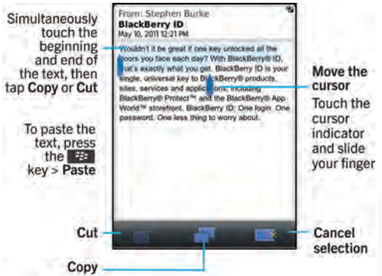

To see a video, tap the **Setup** icon > **Tutorials** > **Edit Text**.

Connecting to your computer

You can use BlackBerry® Desktop Software to do the following:

- Sync your contacts, music, pictures, and more
- Back up and restore smartphone data
- Update your software

To download the BlackBerry Desktop Software, go to **www.blackberry.com/desktopsoftware**.

Sync your media files

1. Connect your BlackBerry® smartphone to your computer.
2. On your computer, open the BlackBerry® Desktop Software.
   - If you're using a Windows® computer, click **Music**, **Pictures**, or **Videos**.
   - If you're using a Mac computer, in the **Media** section in the left pane, click **Music**.

For more information, see the Help in the BlackBerry Desktop Software.

Need more help?

- Find help from the Home screen—just tap the icon and start typing!
- For tutorials, tap the **Setup** icon > **Tutorials**.
- **www.blackberry.com/gettingstarted**: Find getting started information.
- **www.blackberry.com/go/docs**: Find the complete user guide.
- Find information about your wireless service plan on your wireless service provider's website.

To view the Declaration of Conformity made under Directive 1999/5/EC (HG nr.88/2003), go to **www.blackberry.com/go/declarationofconformity**.